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IMPORTANT

LISTER BEL AIR & BARY BEL

WASHING

HAND WASH in warm soap or detergent. A thorough rinse followed by removal of excess moisture either by rolling in a towel or spin drying for a few seconds.

DRVING

Care should be taken to avoid drying at too high a temperature and never in the direct heat from a fire or radiator. If tumbler drying is employed keep temperature below 60°C. for minimum time needed to dry garment.

If pressing is desired a DRY CLOTH and COOL IRON only must be used. Only press lightly.

MODEL 'A' (ILLUSTRATED IN BLUE)

Materials

- 3 (4) Balls Lister Baby Bel Baby 4-ply Knitting Courtelle.
- 3 (4) Balls Lister Nursery Time Super Crimp Baby Bri-Nylon 4-ply.
- 3 (4) ozs. Lister Lavenda 4-ply Knitting Wool.
- 3 (4) Balls Lister Super Crimp Bri-Nylon 4-ply.

Pair each needles Nos. 10 and 12.

34 yard (68.5 cm) Ribbon.

Measurements.

To fit: 18 (21) ins. 45.5 (53) cm. Chest measurement.

Length from shoulder: 9 (10) ins. 22.9 (25.4) cm.

Length of undersleeve seam: 5½ (6) ins. 14 (15.2) cm.

MODEL 'B' (ILLUSTRATED IN WHITE)

Materials

- 3 (3) [4] Balls Lister Baby Bel Baby 4-Ply Knitting Courtelle.
- 3 (4) [4] Balls Lister Nursery Time Super Crimp Baby Bri-Nylon 4-ply.
- 3 (4) [4] ozs. Lister Lavenda 4-ply Knitting Wool.
- 3 (4) [4] Balls Lister Super Crimp Bri-Nylon 4-ply.

Pair each needles Nos. 10 and 12.

4 (4) [4] Buttons.

The quantities of varn stated are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate.

MODEL A (Illustrated in Blue)

To work 21ins. (53cm) Chest follow figures in parenthesis ().

BACK

Using No. 10 needles cast on 63 (69) sts. and work in Garter st. for 4 (4) rows.

1st row. Knit.

2nd row. Purl.

3rd row. K1, K2tog. * K1, (K1, P1, K1) into next st., K1. K3tog. repeat from * to last 6 sts., K1, (K1, P1, K1) into next st., K1, K2tog. K1.

4th row. Purl.

5th row. As 3rd row.

6th row. Knit.

These 6 rows form the pattern.

Repeat last 6 rows twice (twice) more.

Now continue in st.st. (1st row – knit) until work

measures 5 (5½) ins. 12.7 (14) cm. from commencement.

SHAPE RAGLAN. Right side facing:

Cast off 3 (3) sts. at beginning of next 2 rows.

1st row. K1, SKPO, knit to last 3 sts., K2tog. K1.

2nd row. K1, purl to last st., K1.

Repeat last 2 rows until 23 (25) sts. remain.

Leave these sts. on a spare needle.

Measurements

To fit: 20 (22) [24] ins. 51 (56) [61] cm. Ch Length from Shoulder: 9 (10) [11] ins. 22.9 Length of undersleeve seam: 6 (6½) [7] ins.

Tension

7 sts. and 9 rows equal one inch (2.5cm) No. 10 needles.

N.B.

The tension of the knitting controls the size of the finished garment. Before commencing cast on 14sts. and work in pattern for 18 rows. If your sample has less sts. per inch (2.5cm) than our tension, try again with smaller needles and vice versa, then work the garment on the needles which produce our tension.

RIGHT FRONT

Using No. 10 needles cast on 39 (45) sts. and work in Garter st. for 3 (3) rows.

Next row. Knit to last 6 sts., slip these sts. onto a safety pin, 33 (39) sis.

Now work as Back until work measures 5 (5½) ins. 12.7 (14)cm from commencement.

SHAPE RAGLAN. Wrong side facing: Next row. Cast off 3 (3) sts., purl to end.

1st row. Knit to last 3 sts., K2tog. K1.

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2nd row. K1, purl to end.

Repeat last 2 rows until 21 (25) sts. remain.

SHAPE NECK. Right side facing:

Next row. Cast off 5 (9) sts., knit to last 3 sts., K2tog. K1.

Next row. K1, purl to end

Next row. K1, SKPO, knit to last 3 sts., K2tog. K1.

Next row. K1, purl to end.

Repeat last 2 rows until all sts. are worked off.

LEFT FRONT

Using No. 10 needles cast on 39 (45) sts. and work in Garter st. for 3 (3) rows.

Next row. K6, slip these sts. onto a safety pin, knit to end. 33 (39) sts.

Now work as Back until work measures 5 (5½) ins.

12.7 (14) cm. from commencement.

SHAPE RAGLAN. Right side facing:

Baby Cardigans

IN LISTER 4-PLY KNITTING QUALITIES

IMPORTANT To obtain a perfect result of the designs illustrated it is essential that you use one of the Lister qualities recommended and work to the tension given. No responsibility can be accepted if wool or yarn other than Lister is used. Be sure to purchase sufficient wool or yarn to complete your garment, otherwise you may have difficulty in matching.

The designs featured on the front cover were worked in Lister Baby Bel Baby 4-ply Knitting Courtelle.

cm. Chest measurement. . 22.9 (25.4) [27.9] cm. | ins. 15.2 (16.5) [17.8] cm.

Casting On - Thumb Method

2 yards (1m.83cm) from the end twist the yarn (wool) round the left thumb to make a loop and knit this loop on to the needle from the ball of yarn (wool). Repeat till required number of sts. are on the needle making the loop from the 2 yards (1m.83cm) and knitting from the ball. This method of casting on should always be used.

Abbreviations

K. – knit; p. – purl; sts. – stitches; ins. – inches; cm. – centimetres; tog. – together; garter st. – every row knit; SKPO. – slip one, knit one, pass slipped st. over; st.st. – stocking stitch which is the smooth side of one row knit, one row purl; M1. – Make one by bringing yarn (wool) to front of work before a knit st., and wrapping yarn (wool) round needle before a purl st.; KL. – knit loop, i.e. pick up strand of yarn (wool) between st. just worked and next st. and knit it.

Next row. Cast off 3 (3) sts., knit to end.
Next row. Purl.
1st row. K1, SKPO, knit to end.
2nd row. Purl to last st., K1.
Repeat last 2 rows until 20 (24) sts. remain.
SHAPE NECK. Wrong side facing:
Next row. Cast off 5 (9) sts., purl to end.
Next row. K1, SKPO, knit to last 3 sts., K2tog. K1.
Next row. Purl to last st., K1.
Repeat last 2 rows until all sts. are worked off.

SLEEVES

Using No. 10 needles cast on 33 (39) sts. and work in Garter for 4 (4) rows. Now work 6 pattern rows as Back. Now continue in st.st. (1st row – knit) increasing one st. at each end of next and every following 6th row until 45 (49) sts. are on needle. Continue on these sts., until work measures 5½ (6) ins. 14 (15.2) cm. from commencement. SHAPE RAGLAN.

As Back until 5 (5) sts. remain. Leave these sts. on a safety pin.

RIGHT FRONT BAND

Return to 6 sts. on safety pin, rejoin wool (yarn) at inside edge and using No. 12 needles work in Garter st. until work measures 7 (8) ins. 17.8 (20.3) cm. ending at inside edge.

Leave these sts. on a safety pin.

LEFT FRONT BAND

Work as Right Front Band.

NECKBAND

Join raglan seams. With right side of work facing, slip 6 (6) sts. from Right Front Band, onto a No. 12 needle, rejoin wool (yarn) and pick up and knit 16 (18) sts. up right front; knit across 5 (5) sts. at top of Sleeve; knit across 23 (25) sts. at back of neck; knit across 5 (5) sts. at top of 2nd Sleeve; pick up and knit 15 (17) sts. down left front; and finally knit across 6 (6) sts. of Left Front Band. 76 (82) sts.

Work in Garter st. for 5 (5) rows.

Next row. (18ins. (45.5cm.) Chest only): K2, * M1, K2tog. K1, repeat from * to last 2 sts., K2.

Next row. (21ins. (53cm.) Chest only): K1, * K1, M1, K2tog. K1, repeat from * to last st., K1.

Work 4 (4) rows more in Garter st.

Cast off.

TO MAKE UP

See Important Note for Lister Bel Air and Baby Bel. Pin out and press each piece on wrong side under a damp cloth. Join side and sleeve seams. Sew Front Bands neatly in position. Thread ribbon through holes at Neck. Press all seams.

MODEL B (Illustrated in White)

To work 22ins. (56cm) Size follow figures in parenthesis (). To work 24ins. (61cm) Size follow figures in brackets []. N.B. Work into back of every knit st. over st.st. fabric.

BACK

Using No. 12 needles cast on 70 (76) [82] sts. and work in K1, P1 rib for 10 (10) [10] rows.

Change to No. 10 needles and st.st. (1st row – knit, and working into back of each knit st.) until work measures 4½ (5) [5½] ins. 11.5 (12.7) [14] cm. from commencement. SHAPE RAGLAN. Right side facing:

Cast off 3 (4) [5] sts., at beginning of next 2 rows.

1st row. K2, SKPO, knit to last 4 sts., K2tog., K2.

2nd row. K1, purl to last st., K1.

Repeat last 2 rows until 24 (24) [24] sts. remain.

Leave these sts. on a spare needle.

RIGHT FRONT

(Buttonholes this side for Girl – omit for Boy)
Using No. 12 needles cast on 44 (48) [52] sts. and work in K1, P1 rib for 2 (2) [2] rows.
Next row. (Make buttonhole): Rib 3, cast off 2 sts., rib

Next row. Rib to last 3 sts., cast on 2 sts., rib 3.

Work 5 (5) [5] rows more in rib.

Next row. Rib to last 8 sts., slip these 8 sts. onto a safety pin. 36 (40) [44] sts.

Change to No. 10 needles and continue to work into back of k. sts. over st.st., fabric.

1st row. (P2, KL, K2, KL, P1) twice, P1, knit to end. 2nd row. Purl to last 15 sts., (K2, P4, K1) twice, K1. 3rd row. (P2, SKPO, K2tog., P1) twice, P1, knit to end. 4th row. Purl to last 11 sts., (K2, P2, K1) twice, K1. These 4 rows form the pattern.

Continue in pattern until work measures 4½ (5) [5½] ins. 11.5 (12.7) [14] cm. from commencement.

SHAPE RAGLAN. Wrong side facing and keeping in pattern.

Next row. Cast off 3 (4) [5] sts. pattern to end. Next row. Pattern to last 4 sts., K2tog., K2.

Next row. K1, P2, pattern to end.

Repeat last 2 rows until 19 (20) [21] sts. remain. SHAPE NECK. Right side facing and keeping in pattern:

Next row. Cast off 1 (2) [3] sts., pattern to last 4 sts..

K2tog., K2.

Continue on these sts. Shaping Raglan as before, at the same time decreasing one st. at Neck Edge on every row until all sts. are worked off.

LEFT FRONT

(Buttonholes this side for Boy – omit for Girl)
Using No. 12 needles cast on 44 (48) [52] sts. and work
in K1, P1 rib for 2 (2) [2] rows.

Next row. (Make buttonhole): Rib to last 5 sts., cast off 2 sts., rib to end.

Next row. Rib 3, cast on 2 sts., rib to end.

Work 5 (5) [5] rows more in rib.

Next row. Rib 8, slip these sts. onto a safety pin, rib to end. 36 (40) [44] sts.

Change to No. 10 needles.

1st row. Knit to last 11 sts., (P2, KL, K2, KL, P1) twice, P1.

2nd row. (K2, P4, K1) twice, K1, purl to end. 3rd row. Knit to last 15 sts., (P2, SKPO, K2tog., P1) twice, P1

4th row. (K2, P2, K1) twice. K1, purl to end.

These 4 rows form the pattern.

Continue in pattern until work measures 4½ (5) [5½] ins. 11.5 (12.7) [14] cm. from commencement.

SHAPE RAĞLAN. Right side facing and keeping in pattern: Next row, Cast off 3 (4) [5] sts., pattern to end.

Next row. Work in pattern.

Next row. K2, SKPO, pattern to end.

Next row. Pattern to last 3 sts. P2, K1.

Repeat last 2 rows until 19 (20) [21] sts. remain. SHAPE NECK. Wrong side facing and keeping in pattern: Next row. Cast off 1 (2) [3] sts., pattern to last 3 sts.,

P2, K1.

Continue on these sts., Shaping Raglan as before, at the same time decreasing one st. at Neck Edge on 2nd and every following row until all sts. are worked off.

SLEEVES

Using No. 12 needles cast on 42 (48) [54] sts. and work in K1, P1 rib for 1½ (1½) [1½] ins. 3.8 (3.8) [3.8] cm. Change to No. 10 needles and st.st. (1st row – knit, and working into back of each knit st.) increasing one st. at each end of 3rd and every following 6th row until 54 (60) [66] sts. are on needle.

Continue on these sts. until work measures 6 (6½) [7] ins.

15.2 (16.5) [17.8] cm. from commencement.

SHAPE RAGLAN

As Back until 8 (8) [8] sts. remain. Leave these sts. on a safety pin.

RIGHT FRONT BAND

(Buttonholes this side for Girl – omit for Boy)
Return to sts. on safety pin, rejoin yarn (wool) at inside edge and using No. 12 needles continue in rib making further buttonholes at 2¼ (2½) [2½] ins. 5.7 (6.3) [7] cm. intervals (measuring from base of previous buttonhole) until 3 (3) [3] buttonholes in all have been worked.
Work 1¾ (2) [2½] ins. 4.5 (5) [5.7] cm. more in rib ending at inside edge.
Leave these sts. on a safety pin.

LEFT FRONT BAND

(Buttonholes this side for Boy – omit for Girl) Work as Right Front Band.

NECKBAND

Join raglan seams. With right side of work facing, slip 8 sts. of Right Front Band onto a No. 12 needle, rejoin yarn (wool) and pick up and knit 12 (13) [14] sts. up right front; knit across 8 (8) [8] sts. at top of Sleeve; knit across 24 (24) [24] sts. from spare needle at back of neck; knit 8 (8) [8] sts. from safety pin at top of 2nd Sleeve; pick up and knit 12 (13) [14] sts. down Left Front; and finally (K1, P1) four times, across sts. of Left Front Band. 80 (82) [84] sts.

Work 8 (8) [8] rows in K1, P1, rib making a further buttonhole as before on 4th and 5th rows. Cast off loosely in rib.

TO MAKE UP

See Important Note for Lister Bel Air and Baby Bel. Pin out and press each piece on wrong side under a damp cloth avoiding ribbed welts. Join side and sleeve seams. Sew Front Bands neatly in position. Sew on buttons to correspond with buttonholes. Press all seams.

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